ಜನಾಬ್ ಜೆ. ಮಹಮ್ಮದ್ ಇಮಾಂರವರು.—ಇಲ್ಲಿ 'Whether there is a scheme to advance industrial loans to individual industrialists' ಎಂದು ಕೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇದಕ್ಕಿಂತಲೂ ಮುಂದೆ ಎಷ್ಟು ಜನ ಇಂಡಸ್ಟ್ರಿಯಲಿಸ್ಟ್‌ಗಳಿಗೆ ಸಾಲ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದೆ, ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಮೊತ್ತ ಎಷ್ಟು, ಯಾರಾರಿಗೆ ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ತಿಳಿಸರಾಗುತ್ತದೆಯೆ ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Hon'ble Minister said he wants notice.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA (Honnali).—On a point of order, sir. I think that question was answered about three days back. Detailed information was furnished.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Quite so.

Charges for power supply to big Industrial Concerns.

Q.—275. Srimathi LAKSHMIDEVI RAMANNA (Hoskote-Anekal).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether they are aware of the fact that the Electrical Department are now charging royalty on lights or 10 per cent on the estimated outlay whichever is higher;

(*b*) whether they have any similar rule in respect of big industrial concerns in the City?

A.—Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA (Minister for Industries).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes: in big industrial concerns, the consumption is so heavy that the cost of consumption itself will be several times more than the 10 per cent line minimum.

ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮೀದೇವಿ ರಾಮಣ್ಣನವರು.—ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಕಾರ್ಪೊರೇಷನ್ನಲ್ಲೂಕೂಡ ಕಾನ್ಸ್ಟೆಬಲ್ ಕರ್ತವ್ಯದ ಮೇಲೆ ಶೇಕಡ 10 ರಾಯಲ್ಟಿ ಬಹಳ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಎಂಬುದು ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೆ ?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—That question has been disallowed.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Yes, it has been disallowed.

ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮೀದೇವಿ ರಾಮಣ್ಣನವರು.—ಹಾಗಿದ್ದಮೇಲೆ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಕಾರ್ಪೊರೇಷನ್‌ಗೆ ರಿಯಾಯಿತಿ ತೋರಿಸುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—That does not arise.

Output and working of Sandal Oil Factory in Mysore City.

Q.—330. Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY (Yelandur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) when the Sandal Oil Factory was started in Mysore City;

(*b*) the establishment charges of the Factory in the years 1920, 1930, 1940, 1950 and 1952;

(*c*) the productive capacity of the plant;

(*d*) the annual output of sandal oil from 1920 to 1952;

(*e*) the amount of revenue or profit derived from this industry;

(*f*) whether there is any salesman;

(*g*) if so, when he was appointed?

A.—Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA (Minister for Industries).—

(*a*) In 1917,

(*b*)

Official year.	*Charges.*
	Rs.
1919-20	... 53,078
1922-30	... 30,675
1939-40	... 40,964
1949-50 (official year of 9 months)	49,743
1951-52	... 69,778

(*c*) About 10,000 pounds of sandalwood oil per month.

(*d*) and (*e*) Statements appended below.

(*f*) and (*g*) There is no salesman. Sales are effected through Agents in different territories. Recently in March 1952, one of the superfluous posts of Assistant Manager was converted to that of a Sales Officer and a Sales Officer has been appointed with a view to strengthen the sales organisation of the factory and give better attention to sales under the slump and competitive conditions that have set in.

Statement showing the output of Sandalwood Oil in the Government Sandalwood Oil Factory at Mysore :—

Year	*Pounds*
1919-20 ...	98,859
1920-21 ...	98,506
1921-22 ...	...
1922-23 ...	24,197
1923-24 ...	71,917
1924-25 ...	78,039
1925-26 ...	62,288
1926-27 ...	65,570
1927-28 ...	84,131
1928-29 ...	89,684
1929-30 ...	84,558
1930-31 ...	60,038
1931-32 ...	95,992
1932 33 ...	84,341
1933-34 ...	78,885
1934-35 ...	72,453
1935-36 ...	110,295
1936-37 ...	144,042
1937-38 ...	143,404
1938-39 ...	98,370
1939-40 ...	92,061
1940-41 ...	107,994
1941-42 ...	148,729
1942-43 ...	112,875
1943-44 ...	51,854
1944-45 ...	37,731
1945-46 ...	57,255
1946-47 ...	43,514
1947-48 ...	48,777
1948-49 ...	64,208
1949-50 ...	74,660
1950-51 ...	92,870
1951-52 ...	60,512

Statement showing the Net Revenue realised by the Sandal Oil Industry :—

Year	*Total Net Revenue for the Industry* Rs.
1919-20 ...	26,32,910
1920-21 ...	11,83,568
1921-22 ...	15,42,028
1922-23 ...	18,71,801
1923-24 ...	19,63,400
1924-25 ...	18,81,985
1925-26 ...	23,22,053
1926-27 ...	21,86,471
1927-28 ...	12,72,478
1928-29 ...	29,46,256
1929-30 ...	26,07,710
1930-31 ...	21,17,486
1931-32 ...	15,44,840
1932-33 ...	11,57,917
1933-34 ...	11,7 ,497
1934-35 ...	11,84,904
1935-36 ...	12,61,699
1936-37 ...	16,99,944
1937-38 ...	11,78,207
1938-39 ...	10,1 ,281
1939-40 ...	10,69,696
1940-41 ...	15,04,440
1941-42 ...	16,29,427
1942-43 ...	12,96,792
1943-44 ...	8,25,862
1944-45 ...	22,86,692
1945-46 ...	41,12,468
1946-47 ...	54,44,399
1947-48 ...	33,82,221
1948-49 ...	37,58,851
1949-50 ...	39,14,954
1950-51 ...	70,49,060
1951-52 ...	40,61,924 (Provisional)

Remarks.—The revenue shown in this statement is net, after deducting the factory expenses (distillation and selling charges, etc.), but without deducting the value for the sandalwood supplied by the Forest Department.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—What is the name of the Sales Officer?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—Notice.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—Was he a Stenographer to the then Minister for Industries?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—Notice.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—What is the present pay and grade on which he has been fixed?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—Also notice.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—How much was he drawing before?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—I cannot give that information just now.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—Has he got any special qualification with regard to the conduct of business and sales?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—All that has been considered before his appointment.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—How is it that the production has exceeded the capacity of the plant in 36-37, 37-38 and 41-42?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—They have worked by more than one shift.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—What are the causes for the increase in the establishment charges in spite of the heavy fall in production?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—That is due to the revision of scales of pay and other things.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—How many Chemists are working in the factory now?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—Notice.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—Has it come to the notice of the Government that fifty per cent of the staff are loitering without any work?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—Impossible; they cannot do that; there are people to s pervise the work.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—May I know whether the value of Sandalwood exceeds the value of Sandal Oil each year?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—It cannot be.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—Therefore am I to understand that the factory is working on profit?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—Definitely.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—May I bring to the notice of the Hon'ble Minister that in answer to a similar question two or three days back he has answered in the negative?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—No, I have given details in the appendix.

Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK (Molakalmuru).—Will the Government be pleased to state whether there is a proposal to allow this factory to be managed by the Forest Department itself?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—The proposal, as the Hon'ble Member puts it, is not exactly correct. There is this proposal: the management will be in the hands of the Industrial Department but whatever the profits will be credited to the Forest Department.

Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK.—Would it not be better if this is managed by the Forest Department itself so that the Sandalwood and other things can be accounted for and better managed?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—This question was considered some decades back Afterwards, the factory was given over to the Industries Department for management.

Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK.—Would the Government consider this question afresh and examine it from all its aspects in the present circumstances?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—No objection.

Janab J. MOHAMED IMAM (Jagalur).—Is it not a fact that the value of Sandalwood is not deducted from the revenue shown?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—The question is this. The Sandalwood oil is produced on behalf of and for the Forest Department and sold also on behalf of the Forest Department. There is no question of buying Sandalwood for the Sandalwood Oil Factory and then paying back the price of the wood. The management is done on behalf of the Forest Department itself. Therefore, there is no question of buying Sandalwood and paying for it.

Janab J. MOHAMED IMAM.—To arrive at the correct figures is it not desirable to keep separate accounts for the value of sandal wood and see how much profit is derived for the extra trouble we take for manufacturing the oil?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—I thank the Hon'ble Member for that suggestion. We have considered it already and the procedure is being implemented.

ಶ್ರೀ ಡಿ. ದೇವರಾಜ ಅರಸ್‌ರವರು (ಹುಣಸೂರು).—ಈಫ್ಯಾಕ್ಟರಿಗೆ ಫಾರೆಸ್ಟ್ ಡಿಪಾರ್ಟ್‌ಮೆಂಟಿನಿಂದ ಯಾವ ದರದಲ್ಲಿ ಫುರವನ್ನು ಒದಗಿಸುತ್ತಿದೆ?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—I have answered that they do not either sell or purchase.

ಶ್ರೀ ಡಿ. ದೇವರಾಜ ಅರಸ್‌ರವರು.—ಹೊರಗಡೆ ಟನ್ ಒಂದಕ್ಕೆ ಗಂಧದ ಮರಕ್ಕೆ ಬರೀದಿ ತಾವೀಗ

ಫಾರೆಸ್ಟ್ ಡಿಪಾರ್ಟ್‌ಮೆಂಟಿನವರಿಗೆ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಿರುವ ದರಕ್ಕಿಂತಲೂ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಗೆಯಿದೆಯೆಂಬುದು ತಮ್ಮ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ ?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—This does not arise out of the answer to the previous question.

ಶ್ರೀ ಡಿ. ದೇವರಾಜ ಅರಸ್‌ರವರು.—ಹಾಗಾದರೆ ಗಂಧದ ಮರವನ್ನು ಫ್ಯಾಕ್ಟರಿಗೆ ಕೊಡುವುದರಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವ ರೀತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದೀರಿ ?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—I have answered it already Sir.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Question Nos. 70, 171, 211, 269, 324, 415, 428 and 278—these eight questions which are similar may be taken up together.

Checking of Government Road Transport Buses.

Q.—70. Sri B. N. BORANNA GOWDA (Belur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether they have appointed agents for the Government Road Transport buses anywhere;

(*b*) whether it is a fact that some officers have been appointed to check the buses at certain centres;

(*c*) the duties of and relationship between the conductors, drivers and checking officers of these buses ?

A.—Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home Affairs and Agriculture).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Checking officers have to see that drivers and conductors do their duties properly.

Road Transport Buses.

Q.—171. Sri K. V. BYRE GOWDA (Bangalore North).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the total capital invested on the Road Transport scheme;

(*b*) the income realised from 1948 to 1951;

(*c*) (i) the number of buses purchased,

(ii) the number of buses which are in the working order;

(iii) the number of lines on which they are plying, and

(iv) the number of buses condemned ?

A.—Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home Affairs and Agriculture).—

(*a*) Rs. 26,91,156.

(*b*) Rs. 5,79,297.

(*c*) (i) 180.

(ii) 104.

(iii) 68.

(iv) 6.

Investment on Mysore Road Transport Service.

Q.—211. Sri S. GOPALA GOWDA (Sagar-Hosanagar.)—

Will the Government be pleased to state:

the total capital invested over the Mysore Road Transport Service and the returns from that till March 1952 ?

A.—Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home Affairs and Agriculture).—

Capital invested Rs. 26,91,156. The latter portion of the question is not clear.

Road Transport Buses and their Working.

Q.—269. Srimathi LAKSHMIDEVI RAMANNA (Hoskote-Anekal).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) when the Mysore Government Road Transport Department was constituted;

(*b*) the number of buses so far purchased;

(*c*) the number of lines in which Government buses are plying;

(*d*) the number of buses that are in good condition;

(*e*) the yearwar income and expenditure of this Department ever since its inception ?